

Activists remain skeptical after the Department of Homeland Security announced their intention to cancel remaining border wall contracts along the Texas-Mexico border. TPR's Carolina Cuellar reports.

[The announcement applies to border wall contracts in Laredo and the Rio Grande Valley. And contract terminations will only halt construction if Congress agrees to cut funding, says Scott Nicols who is an anti-border wall activist in the Valley.

“Even if these, these wall contracts are canceled, they're gonna have to re let those contracts and build those walls if Congress doesn't act to resend those monies..” [00:12]

Additionally, it doesn't address a loophole that activists say is allowing Customs and Border Protection to convert 13 miles of levy into a border wall.

DHS urges Congress to redirect funding towards more effective border security measures such as modernizing existing ports of entry.